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BOOZE OR MEDICINE?

Which will you have? If a woman suffering from one of the delicate ailments peculiar to your sex it will be well for you to know that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the only remedy advertised for such maladies which is absolutely free from intoxicating liquors and all other harmful agents. The good you feel from its use is not the delusive exhileration from a tippling beverage, from which the system reacts into a worse condition than before. It may be a little slower in manifesting its bracing and invigorating action, but its benefits are none the less positive and, best of all, they are *lasting*. It's an honest medicine—not a beverage.

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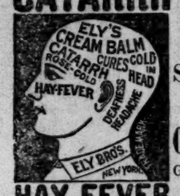

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STOESSEL DENOUNCED.

A Russian admiral, who has just joined the prisoners from Port Arthur now in Japan, has given to a correspondent an extended statement covering the defense and surrender of the fortress. He characterizes the surrender before the garrison had reached its extremity as a disgrace, bitterly criticises General Stoessel and lauds General Kondratenko, commander of the Seventh East Siberian Rifle Regiment, as the true hero of the defense of Port Arthur.

The admiral says that Vice Admiral Makaroff, who commanded the Russian squadron at Port Arthur, and who went down with the battleship Petropavlovsk on April 13, dictated the policy of inactivity on the part of the squadron, taking the ground that it would be hopeless, owing to the inferiority of the Russian naval strength, to engage the fleet of Vice Admiral Togo, and that it would be unwise to divide the force defending Port Arthur by running ships to Vladivostok or to neutral ports.

The admiral admits that bitter friction existed between the army and the navy, and intimates that there is a probability of inquiry into this matter by court-martial. He insists that the Russians destroyed their warships at Port Arthur beyond any possibility of salvage by the Japanese. The statement in part is as follows:

"The first Japanese naval attack on Port Arthur was an absolute surprise to both the Russian army and navy, I admired the manner in which the Japanese handled their ships and the remarkable way in which they concealed their movements, but they erred on the side of caution. If, in the first attack, they had launched all their torpedo boat flotillas against the Russian ships, which were in a condition of unpreparedness, instead of sending in only a few vessels, they could have executed a disastrous coup de main by destroying practically every ship in the harbor. Had a similarly bold policy been carried out the Japanese could have landed a force to the west of the fortified lines and captured the fortress almost without opposition. The forts had not then been completed and the majority of the guns had not been mounted. The garrison manning the entire line of over 10 miles numbered barely 3,000 men."

Suicide of a Banker.

As the result of a run by depositors, following the suicide yesterday morning of Cashier Charles H. Houseman, the East End Savings Bank of Columbus, Ohio, was closed yesterday by its directors and placed in the hands of a receiver, W. H. English, who gave a bond for $40,000.

The news of Houseman's suicide caused a panic among the depositors of the bank, who are mostly residents of the East Side, and the crowd which struggled around the doors of the bank seeking to withdraw deposits became so large that the police were called to preserve order.

The run had been in progress less than two hours when the directors decided to close the bank, their action being announced in the following statement:

"East End Saving Bank has closed temporarily, caused by the suicide of the cashier, C. H. Houseman. This bank had experienced a run in the last two or three weeks, caused by some false rumors, but showed its strength by promptly meeting all demands upon it, and the run had subsided. Most of the people who had drawn their money out had returned it to the bank for deposit, and the directors thought that there was no further cause for alarm until yesterday morning, when they learned that Mr. Houseman had committed suicide. Knowing that a run was imminent, and in order to protect themselves and the depositors, inasmuch as they had no cashier to take charge of the books who understood the matter thoroughly, they thought it a wise plan to close the doors of the bank temporarily and place the bank in the hands of a receiver until they were afforded an opportunity to familiarize themselves with the details of the bank's business."

Cashier Houseman had worried over the bank's affairs and in a note which he left to his wife said:

"My Dear Wife and Family: Another sleepless night, and I am so unnerved that I am almost beside myself. I can't tell what will become of me if it lasts much longer. The tin box has all my papers; some of them worthless, but keep them all, as they may be valuable to you. They are all yours. Good-by."

A Much-married Man.

That John Hoch, whom the Chicago police allege to be a modern Bluebeard is an expert chemist and may possess knowledge of a secret poison was the declaration of Police Inspector Shippy yesterday. The inspector says he has evidence that Hoch was a druggist some years ago and compounded many poisons.

"It may be that, being proficient in the use of poisons, he found some poison that could not be detected," said the inspector.

The police say Hoch has many aliases and that he has served at least two sentences for surreptitiously selling furniture purchased on the instalment plan before payment was completed.

"This man is poisoning me," are the words Mrs. William Steinbecker told the police yesterday that her mother-in-law said shortly before her death, 10 years ago. The dead woman is said to have married Hoch about 10 years ago, and to have been taken suddenly ill two months after the wedding. Mrs. Steinbecker told Inspector Shippy that after her mother-in-law's death property valued at $4,000 was disposed of by Hoch.

The police now assert they have evidence that Hoch has had at least 16 wives in as many years. The police also declared that besides that 12 wives who are living, there were at least four who died.

Hoch is said to have served in the Russian army. He is alleged to have married two sisters in Milwaukee. Both died. A third sister identified Hoch some years later, while he was serving time in the county jail.

Colt's Freak Appetite.

Louis Schoener, a farmer near Swedesboro, N. J., has an eight-months'-old colt that has developed a freak appetite. The animal takes very kindly to bread and butter, is very fond of mashed potatoes and gravy, dotes on cake and pie, revels in pickles smacks its lips over sauer kraut and pigs' feet and takes coffee like a veteran. Schoener has not tried it on limburger cheese.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Calif, writes: "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

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All stomach trouble is removed by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It gives the stomach perfect rest by digesting what you eat without the stomach's aid. The food builds up the body, the rest restores the stomach to health. You don't have to diet yourself when taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. J. D. Erskine of Allenville, Mich., says, "I suffered Heartburn and Stomach trouble for some time. My sister-in-law has had the same trouble and was not able to eat for six weeks. She lived entirely on warm water. After taking two bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she was entirely cured. She now eats heartily and is in good health. I am glad to say Kodol gave me instant relief." Sold by all druggists.

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S. P. FISHER, Chm. Spec. Council Com.
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Previous to making improvements in our carpet and rug department we will sell RUGS AND CARPETS at greatly reduced prices:

9x12 Tapestry Carpet Rug, $14; was $17.

9x12 Smyrna, $17.50; was $22.50.

27x54 Velvet and Moquet Rugs, $2; were $2.50.

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Ladies' Short and Long Cambric Underskirts, with hemstitched tucked ruffle, 49c.

Ladies' Cambric Underskirts, lawn ruffle with wide lace insertion and edge, 75c.

Ladies' Cambric Underskirts, lawn tucked ruffle with three rows of insertion and edge, 98c.

Ladies' Cambric Skirts, with nainsook embroidery flounce, $1.98.

Cambric Corset Covers, a 12½c each.

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Nainsook Corset Covers, trimmed with lace, beading and ribbon; 59c quality, at 39c.

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In order to make room for an extensive stock of Spring and Summer Woolens we will close out our entire stock of Fall and Winter Woolens at and below cost.

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January Clearance Sale

Our annual January clearance sale of winter goods, now in progress, means a great saving to all in need of warm Furs, Blankets, Comforts, Ladies' Coats, Ladies' Walking Skirts, Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers, Ladies' Wool Underwear. Also clearance sale of the Manhattan Shirts, Mattings and Men's Winter Underwear. Stock up now and save money.

Furs at Half Price.

We will close out the balance of our Furs at exactly half price. This is a rare opportunity to buy choice furs at unusually low prices.

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All of the Ladies' Black and Tan Coats to be closed out at bargain prices. These coats are fully tailor-made and are very stylish and well-fitting.

Ladies' $6.98 Coats now $3.98.
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Ladies' $12.50 Coats now $7.98.

Ladies' Walking Skirts Reduced.

Ladies' Winter Walking Skirts are reduced very low in order to effect a rapid clearance.

Ladies' $2.50 Walking Skirts now $1.75.
Ladies' $3.50 Walking Skirts now $2.49.
Ladies' $3.98 Walking Skirts now $2.98.
Ladies' $5.00 Walking Skirts now $3.75.

Fine Comforts Reduced.

We will close out a lot of fine Comforts received several weeks late at greatly reduced prices.

Fine $2.98 Comforts now $1.98.
Fine $3 49 Comforts now $2.25.
Fine $4.50 Comforts now $3 25.
Fine $5.00 Comforts now $3.98.
Fine $6 00 Comforts now $4.25.

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The $3.25 Wool Blackets now $2.49.
The $4.25 Wool Blankets now $3.25.
The $5.00 Wool Blankets now $3.98.
The $6 00 Wool Blaukets now $4 98.

Flannelette Wrappers Reduced.

Ladies' 75c Flannelette Wrappers 59c.
Ladies' $1.00 Flannelette Wrappers 75c.
Ladies' $1.50 Flannelette Wrappers, $1.15.

Clearance Sale of Mattings

Before our new spring Mattings arrive we desire to close out what we have on hand at regular wholesale prices.

12½c Mattings now 9c.
15c Mattings now 11½c.
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TUESDAY EVENING, JAN. 24, 1905.

SENATORS who favor the administration's railroad legislation programme don't share the confidence said to prevail at the White House, during the last few days, that the Senate will follow the expected lead of the House, and pass a bill embodying the President's ideas before March 4. A few days ago there were signs of yielding on the part of the Senate opposition to the President's programme, but now many fresh indications appear of the opposition's purpose to postpone action on railroad legislation until the next session or even longer. This change is attributed to Mr. Cassatt's visit to the Capitol last week. Senator Elkins, chairman of the Senate committee on interstate commerce, let it be known that he intended to ask authority for his committee to sit during the coming congressional recess, for the purpose of investigating the question of railroad rate legislation. This constituted notice that he would not undertake to report a bill dealing with the matter at this session, whatever the wishes of the administration might be. In his programme of delay Senator Elkins apparently secured a very influential recruit in the person of Senator Aldrich. The latter is a member of the interstate commerce committee, but had shown no interest in the pending agitation until Thursday last, when for the first time this session he attended a meeting of the committee and took part in the examination of witnesses. The lines of questions he asked indicated clearly not merely that he was opposed to immediate action on railroad legislation, but that he felt there was no need of further legislation in that line. It is evident Senator Aldrich reflects the views of the influential railroad men who contend that existing laws are sufficient to deal with the abuses complained of, and who oppose any "dallying" question of railroad rate regulation at this time.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, it is said, has tried to forestall the inquiry of the special committee which the House has authorized to investigate the affairs of the Panama Railroad Company. The Shackleford resolution, providing for the investigation, was favorably reported by the committee on interstate and foreign commerce last Tuesday, and Thursday, before the House had an opportunity to act on the resolution, the President issued an executive order notifying the Pacific Mail Steamship Company that its monopoly contract with the Panama Railroad Company, by which it is given the handling of all freight on the western side of the isthmus, would be abrogated at the end of six months. Members of the House are commenting freely on the President's late haste in taking this action and say he has been in charge of the road since last February, and that he has waited an entire year before taking any action to end a contract which is plainly in restraint of trade. Discussing the President's order to abrogate the contract at the end of six months, members of the committee on interstate and foreign commerce say the contract should be abrogated at once and not allowed to continue in force for six months longer. By this, they hold the government of the United States itself becomes a party to a contract in restraint of trade.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR WILLARD today announces himself a candidate for Governor of Virginia. He has long been regarded as a formidable competitor for this high office, and his many friends throughout the Commonwealth will hail his candidacy with satisfaction. Mr. Willard needs no introduction to any one in Virginian, as he has long been one of the most prominent of her citizens. In the capacity of a legislator and as Lieutenant Governor he has been an indefatigable worker for the advancement of the Old Dominion and has traveled far and near in her interests. His platform of principles is no criticism upon the present order of things, nor is he running on any issue. He, however, suggests some few improvements on the lines of advancement and expansion, but they are merely to meet the requirements of the times.

SHIP subsidy legislation is suffering from the vigorous assaults made upon it by its enemies and for the present, at least, keeping within its shell. Despite favorable reports from the committees of both House and Senate, no progress is being made. Representative Spight, of Mississippi, says the democrats of the House committee will unite in a minority report against the commission bill. Chairman Grosvenor has let Mr. Spight into the secret that there will be plenty of time to prepare the minority report, indicating that the Senate will be suffered to consider the bill before it is taken up in the House.

BECAUSE her husband rebuked her for smoking cigarettes, a woman of Chicago last week committed suicide. It is a pity that more husbands of cigarette smoking wives don't rebuke them.

REPRESENTATIVE PEARRE, republican, of Maryland, who sometime ago announced his determination to challenge the electoral vote of the State when the electoral votes are canvassed in Congress next month, has reconsidered his determination to make an ass of himself for the time being. He has found out after talking with people of sense that there is no proper support in law for such a step as he announced he would take.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.

The probability is that the end of the Smoot case will come by tomorrow afternoon. The hearing has steadily degenerated from the first from an investigation of charges against Senator Smoot brought by less than two dozen protestants, most of whom reside outside the State of Utah, to a trial of the Mormon church. The exact quality of the verdict and the recommendation which the committee will make is not yet clear but there is a prevailing belief that regardless of the report of the committee a republican Senate will decline to commit political hari-kari in a State so close as Utah by denying it representation at the capital and that the result will be an attempt to start in motion a constitutional amendment providing for the prohibition and punishment of polygamy. A constitutional amendment in these days, however, is well nigh an impossibility. Frank B. Stevens, formerly city attorney of Salt Lake, was the first witness called by the defense today. He said that he went to Utah in 1888, is a democrat and always took a lively interest in politics. He told of the early bitterness between Mormons and gentiles and its continual decrease since. Both sides co-operate in charitable work, he said. The Mormons gave the free use of buildings at different times to various religious organizations outside their own. Many young Mormons, he testified, joined the Y. M. C. A., of which he is president. Witness said that he had told Mr. Smoot he ought not come to Washington while still an apostle. It was, he said, flaunting a red rag in the face of the bull.

China today through Sir Chentung Liang-Cheng, the Chinese Minister, made counter charges against Russia. It is understood that the Chinese minister submitted to Secretary Hay the full reply of the Chinese government to the Russian charges that China has violated her neutrality in the far East. Not only does China deny the Russian charges but she makes counter charges against Russia, alleging a violation of Chinese territory by Russian troops.

The Navy Department was informed today of the arrival at Santo Domingo City of the United States torpedo boat destroyer Stewart. The special mission of the Stewart will be to protect cable communications between Santo Domingo City and San Juan, Porto Rico.

Mrs. Julia Downey, who has been visiting relatives in Richmond, has returned to her home in this city.

Former Governor David R. Francis, of St. Louis, president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, was one of the callers at the White House this morning." I am passing through Washington," he said, "and just stopped off to remind the members of Congress that the Exposition Company paid back the $4,600,000 that we borrowed from the government. When we secured the loan a number of members sneeringly told me that the United States would never get it back. The work of demolishing the fair buildings is proceeding rapidly, and within a few weeks there won't be many traces left of the beautiful fair. It makes one sad to see the wrecking of all those palaces of art."

Among the nominations sent to the Senate today is that of Capt. Charles M. Thomas to be a rear admiral.

Fifty-Eighth Congress.

Washington, Jan. 24.

SENATE.

The Senate today formally received the twelve articles of impeachment against Charles Swayne, Judge of the Northern District of Florida. They were presented by the seven managers, recently selected by the House of Representatives, headed by Chairman Palmer, of Pennsylvania. They arrived during the discussion of the Bacon resolution, calling upon the President to inform the Senate relative to the agreement recently entered into between the governments of the United States and Santo Domingo. They were announced, at a nod from the chair, by an assistant sergeant-at-arms, just as the Bacon resolution had been referred to the committee on foreign relations, upon motion of Mr. Lodge.

They were at once received and escorted down the main aisle to seats that had been prepared for them, at the left side of the bar of the Senate.

"The Sergeant-at-arms will make proclamation," announced the President pro tem.

Sergeant-at-arms Ransdell' amidst a profound silence, intoned:

"Hear ye. Hear ye. Hear ye. All persons are commanded to keep silence, on pain of imprisonment, while the House of Representatives is exhibiting to the Senate of the United States articles of impeachment against Charles Swayne, Judge for the northern district of Florida."

Representative Palmer, chairman of the managers, then read the twelve articles of impeachment.

"The Senate," announced the president pro tem., "will take proper order in the matter of the impeachment of Judge Swayne, and communicate to the House of Representatives its action."

The managers then retired.

Resolutions, offered by Mr. Platt, ordering the printing of the articles of impeachment and fixing upon twelve o'clock today as "the hour when the Senate should proceed to consideration of the impeachment charges presented this day," were agreed to.

A resolution offered by Mr. Fairbanks was agreed to. It provided that the chair appoint two Senators to wait upon the Chief Justice, and invite him to visit the Senate at 2 o'clock, and administer the oath of office to Senators.

The chair appointed as this committee, Senators Fairbanks and Bacon.

Upon unanimous consent, Mr. Bacon resumed discussion of his Santo Domingo resolution, which was again ordered before the Senate.

He thought the question involved a grave one.

Mr. Foraker contended that the subject was one for discussion behind closed doors.

Mr. Teller offered an amendment, calling upon the President to inform the Senate whether within the past three years any claims of Americans against Santo Domingo had been arbitrated by that government and the United States and, if so, to communicate the facts in such cases to the Senate.

HOUSE.

The early morning hour in the House today was given over to the passage of bridge bills and other bills of minor general importance.

News of the Day.

Nearly the entire army of the Sultan of Morocco has deserted him and gone over to his brother. A French cruiser has arrived at Tangier with the French embassy.

The Russian War Office denies that any of the soldiers refused to obey orders to fire on the crowds, and the officials say they have the utmost confidence in the loyalty of the troops.

Mrs. Mary G. Stone, whose nomination as postmaster at Iuka, Miss., has been sent to the Senate, is the widow of J. M. Stone, one of the most popular governors Mississippi everhad.

The Russian officers in charge of the battery from which the loaded shell was fired January 19, striking the pavilion in which were the Czar and others of the imperial family, have been arrested.

Gen. William E. Mickle, adjutant-general and chief of staff, has given official notice that the next reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held in the city of Louisville on June 14, 15 and 16.

At Madison, Wis., last night Gov. Robert M. La Follette was nominated for United States Senator to succeed Senator J. V. Quarles, by a caucus of republican members of the Wisconsin legislature. Gov. La Follette was selected on the first ballot. Martin L. Lueck is the democratic choice.

The War Department has received the resignation of Capt. James W. Hinkley, jr., commanding the Seventeenth Company of Coast Artillery, at Fort Washington, Md. It is understood that Captain Hinkley has a large estate in Philadelphia which he desires to look after. He is a native of New York.

Colonial Secretary Lyttelton has appointed H. Rider Haggard a commissioner to inquire into the conditions and character of the agricultural and industrial land settlements organized in America by the Salvation Army. The trustees of the estate of Cecil Rhodes are paying the expenses of the inquiry with the view of applying the scheme to South Africa.

The third fire to occur at Chestertown, Md., within the past two months broke out yesterday morning at 4:30 o'clock in the storage-room of the Dosheil House, the largest hotel in the town. About 25 guests were asleep in the hotel when the fire was discovered, and before the alarm could be given the interior of the building was filled with smoke. Many of the guests became confused in their efforts to reach the stairway leading to the first floor, and some would have suffocated had it not been for the efforts of other guests.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles has decided to hand in his resignation as inspector general on Governor Douglas's staff in Massachusetts, to take effect before the army bill which contains a paragraph aimed at army officers who take militia duty becomes operative. This paragraph provides that army officers taking such duty will not be restored to the full pay of active service which under the Dick law was allowed. General Miles will lose the pay, but he will steal a march on the men who aimed the blow at him because he will not be in office at the time the bill goes into effect, resuming his duties immediately thereafter.

Virginia News.

George T. Marshall, great-great-grandson of Chief Justice Marshall, had his skull fractured by being thrown from his horse in Orange, a few days ago.

The system of waterworks for Strasburg has been completed and the work of tapping has commenced. The reservoir has an elevation of 365 feet and will hold over 1,000,000 gallons.

The grand jury of Clarke county, at Berryville, yesterday indicted Reynolds Carlisle, a youth, for the murder of John D. Krombling, a shoemaker of that place, who died on Christmas day from wounds inflicted, as is alleged, by Carlisle, who, it is charged, struck Krombling on the head with a stone.

After several days' investigation of alleged irregularities, revenue officers have seized what is known as Pigg's Distillery, at Dry Fork. The distillery, which is the largest in that section of the country, was licensed and operated by Sidney Jones, but it is alleged to be owned by J. Hutch Pigg. One hundred barrels of whisky were seized.

Miss Nannie Webster, 20 years old, was ground to pieces in Richmond last night beneath the engine of a freight train. She was on her way home with a girl companion and attempted to cross the Seaboard Air Line track. Her companion drew back in time, but the other girl lost her footing and was mangled by the engine.

Former President John Shelton Williams, of the Seaboard Air Line, returned to Richmond yesterday. He said that he did not believe five per cent. of the stock of the company had been deposited or pledged with the Morton Trust Company, of New York, under the Ryan-Blair call. He says letters are reaching him from many dissatisfied stockholders, and that a meeting of these will be held in Baltimore this week.

CONGRESSIONAL.

In the Senate yesterday the fortification appropriation bill was passed after further discussion of the amendment striking out the provision for insular fortifications.

The administration's latest move in Santo Domingo came in for democratic criticism. The discussion arose in connection with the fortification appropriation bill, while a provision affecting insular fortifications was being considered. The President's action was declared by Senator Teller to be without authority. Later Senator Bacon offered a resolution asking for certain information about our attitude toward the island.

The session of the House was given over entirely to the consideration of bills relating to the District of Columbia. The proposition to control the railroads in the matter of rates was discussed at length by Mr. Burgess, of Texas, and briefly by Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa.

Clarence D. Clark was today elected to succeed himself as United States Senator from Wyoming.

The Market.

Georgetown, Jan. 24.—Wheat 96@1.14.

The Russian Revolution.

The military had complete possession of St. Petersburg yesterday and last night. After the last volleys in the Vassili Ostroff quarter, at midnight, the men abandoned the few barricades which they held until that hour and retired. The word was passed around by the leaders to remain quiet for the present.

During the night a fine, damp snow fell, covering the ugly red stains and obliterating all traces of the conflict of Sunday, and with the break of day the city, except for the presence of troops in the streets, had resumed its normal appearance. The shops had reopened and general traffic was partially resumed. The men appeared at work in several of the factories and mills, including the works of the Russian Westinghouse Company, but the managers in a majority of cases told the men to remain away for a few days, and that in the meantime they would receive their pay. The people generally were nervous and apprehensive and kept indoors.

The most startling feature in the situation last night was the news that several factories in Moscow have closed and that the workmen in the old capital of Russia are repeating the tactics of their fellow-workmen of the new capital, marching from shop to shop and mill to mill, demanding that the establishments be shut down. The whole city is reported to be in a state of great excitement over the news of the bloodshed in St. Petersburg yesterday, which has precipitated immediately the strike that had been planned for Wednesday.

Moscow has more workmen and less troops than St. Petersburg, and besides is just now the heart of the liberal movement, and the danger of bloodier occurrences there than have been witnessed in St Petersburg are proportionately greater. A rising at Moscow is also more likely to have greater results industrially and politically than that in St. Petersburg.

According to private reports, the workmen in several other big cities, notably Kharkoff, where large locomotive works are located, already have completed plans for a general suspension of work. Moreover, reports are current that the workmen who otherwise would soon be forced back into the shops or starve, have received assurances of financial support from the sources which hitherto have furnished the sinews of war to the liberal and revolutionary agitation, but have not before been in touch with the labor movement.

If the strike becomes general all over Russia, and especially if the railroads are drawn in, it might immediately force the nation to make peace with Japan.

The situation appears grave from every standpoint; but the authorities, although apparently somewhat bewildered, declare their purpose to stand firm, maintaining that it is their first duty to preserve order, scouting the idea of actual revolution. Seemingly the ministers are most concerned over the effect of the present situation abroad where, they declare, exaggerated reports create a false impression.

What, if any, steps have been taken to meet the general situation, however, has not yet been disclosed; but there were extremely significant reports last night that Emperor Nicholas, in making the decision at the extraordinary meeting of the council of the empire, at Tsarskoe Selo yesterday to declare St. Petersburg in a state of siege, announced that he had resolved to issue a manifesto for the people with a view to calming them, promising to create a mixed commission of workmen and officials to investigate and decide the questions of the demands of the strikers, especially the one affecting hours of labor, which Russian law fixes at eleven.

The representatives of the workmen, according to this report, are not to be appointed, but selected by the laboring men themselves. This would be the first concession to the representative principle.

According to reports, the Emperor will also promise to investigate Sunday's events in St. Petersburg.

The Emperor Nicholas is said to be completely prostrated by grief over the tragedy of Sunday. He is is represented to be almost in a state of collapse over the situation.

The tension, which was somewhat relaxed yesterday morning, continued to increase during the day. Conditions appeared to be ominous when, shortly after dark, the workmen in two electric light plants walked out, refusing triple pay to remain, and plunged half the city into utter darkness, including the Nevsky Prospect, which is in the fashionable residence quarter. The water supply also was cut off, and a veritable panic ensued. Tales that dynamite was in the possesion of strikers, and that it was their purpose to sack and burn the town had been in circulation, and many people were terror-stricken.

At midnight, when life in the Russian capital is usually bright, St. Petersburg resembled a city of the dead, invaded by a hostile army. The facades of the buildings are black, and every restaurant and place of amusement was closed. The only sound to be heard was the deadened patter of the hoofs of the cavalry horses and the tramp of marching men over the snow, as the Emperor's legions moved to and fro.

The guards at the palaces of the grand dukes are especially heavy, and over 20,000 troops are massed at Tsarskoe Selo.

Father Gopon, the priest leader of the working classes, is in seclusion. It is known that the secret service police were looking for him yesterday. His whereabouts is known to only a few trusted lieutenants, through whom he issues orders. It is said that the leaders of the workmen's unions rely upon him implicitly. One of Father Gopon's lieutenants declared that the leaders of the strikers had resolved to preach the gospel of armed resistance and the overthrow of autocracy, but that it did not carry with it a threat of pillage or an attack on property.

A mysterious fire broke out immediately after the second signal for beginning work was given, at 7 a. m., yesterday, at the Savastopol arsenal. The flames burst stimutaneously from different parts of the works, and the whole building was so quickly involved that men in the modeling departments barely escaped by jumping out of the windows. Energetic measures prevented the flames extending to the docks. The fire was under control at 1:30 p. m.

The correspondent of the London Mail telegraphs: "At half past 7 o'clock last night at the corner of Sadovaia and Vosnecensky streets, St. Petersburg, a bomb was thrown among a group of soldiers, killing several. After that the electric light was ordered turned out."

It was reported from Sesteresk, on the Finland coast, yesterday morning 1,800 men had raided the government rifle factory, carrying off a large number of rifles, but no ammunition. The men also destroyed the Sesteresk railway line. Special care is now being taken to guard the waterworks at Smolna, five miles up the Neva. The imperial bank at Sadovaia has been closed and strictly guarded all day for fear it would be pillaged.

TODAY'S DISPATCHES.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24, 12:30 p. m.—Thousands are at this hour assembling in the Nevsky Prospect. This locality contains the homes of many of the fashionable element of the capital. Outgoing trains today are carrying the wives and children of many prominent people of St. Petersburg to outlying places of safety.

A number of government printers resumed work this morning, but a thousand are still idle. The workmen are again strolling through the streets in small groups today, but as yet have offered no violence, nor have they concentrated in any great number. The electric works which shut down last night, as the result of the workmen going out, are now manned by military electricians. The supply was switched on again at 7:30 this morning.

The revolt is spreading, especially in the Moscow district. The employes of the Bachrussin, Michaeloff, Emilinder and Schraeder factories there have joined the strike. Three hundred and fifty barristers of St. Petersburg, who have made a thorough investigation of the demands of the workmen, have declared that these demands are entirely legitimate.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Westminster Gazette reports that revolution in Russia is apparently spreading to various parts of the nation. Armed Finns, he says, are rising, while in Moscow, there is a condition similar to that in St. Petersburg. The correspondent adds that 50,000 strikers have gathered at Kolhinoff, 36 miles from St. Petersburg. The utmost apprehension prevails in the city as a consequence of this gathering, as it is feared they will march on the capital. Many of the shops in the capital are still locked and boarded up.

Moscow, Jan. 24.—Up to noon 10,000 strikers had quit work. The employees of the Poppers factory this morning refused to join the strike but were forced to quit work. A mob of 500 workmen forced an entrance to the factory. They ejected the workmen and demolished all the machinery.

The strike movement is spreading rapidly through the Moscow district. The gas works are idle and guarded by troops. The same condition exists at the electric light works. The printers have all struck, and as a result there will be no newspapers in Moscow tomorrow. There has been no fighting as yet, though the men are marching about the city, gathering recruits from factories and stores as they go.

Kovno, Russia, Jan. 24.—The strike movement is growing here and rioting has begun. No serious damage has as yet been done.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—The government has issued an official statement through the columns of the Official Messenger stating that there were no serious clashes yesterday and no casualties occurred.

The capital is quiet this morning, but it is feared the quiet will last for but a few hours, when the storm will again break loose. During the night the strikers were busy. They tore down the telephone wires which run from St. Petersburg to Tsarkoe-Selo. The strikers also attempted to plunder the big Universal Provider store, but were repelled. Fifteen hundred workman succeeded in getting into the Sestrorzk rifle factory and plundered all the rifles in the factory. They destroyed the narrow gauge railway from St. Petersburg to Sestrorzk It is reported the workmen have also destroyed a section of the railway running from St. Petersburg to Moscow. All these indications this morning point to a renewal of bloodshed today. The rebels, it is learned, intend to march, 40,000 strong, to Tsarkoe-Selo and make another attempt to see the Czar. If they persist there will, no doubt, be a repetition of Sunday's slaughter.

A report was current this morning that Father Gopon, who has been leading the strikers in the capital, has gone to Moscow to conduct the propaganda there.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—The name of Count Leo Tolstoi is now being associated with the present strike propaganda. Father Gopon is an ardent follower of Tolstoi, which is the principal reason he is advising that no violence be resorted to wherever avoidable. It is reported today that a letter from Tolstoi may be expected soon giving the author's views on the strike.

London, Jan. 24.—Count Tchertkoff, the English representative of Leo Tolstoi when shown the dispatch from St. Petersburg, connecting the author's name with the present propaganda in Russia said he had no information to impart as yet.

Rome, Jan. 24.—The Italian papers have discovered that Father Gopon, the leader of the St. Petersburg strikers, is of Italian descent. His grandfather, they say, was named Alfred Gabboni. He was one of Napoleon's officers and accompanied the French army to Russia in 1812. He remained in Russia as a farmer, whence he was followed by his wife and two year old son, who was the father of the present Russian strike leader.

London, Jan. 24.—Labor circles in London say communications have already been exchanged by British, French, German and Belgian socialists to secure international aid in the way of moral support and material for the Russian strikers.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—The strike movement has reached Vilna and is reported as rapidly spreading through that locality. Vilna is the capital of the province of Vilna, which adjoins Kovno, on the south. The city has a number of municipal buildings, including the Governor's residence. It also contains a cathedral of the fourteenth century, in which are a number of fine paintings. Vilna is the residence of the civil and military governors of the province, and the see of a Graeco-Russian and Roman Catholic archbishop.

Berlin, Jan. 24.—The Lokal Anzeiger reports that rebellion has broken out at Radom, Poland, 57 miles south of Warsaw. The rebels destroyed a public building by blowing it up with dynamite. A pitched battle has occurred in the streets between the rebels and the troops. Three officers and many of the rebels and soldiers are said to have been killed.

Moscow, Jan. 24.—The employes of the Tanneries were persuaded to join the ranks of the strikers this afternoon. All arms have been removed from the gunsmiths shops most of which have been closed to prevent the strikers obtaining arms.

London, Jan. 24.—A telegram from St. Petersburg reports that a conflict between strikers and Cossacks occurred in the Russian capital late this afternoon.

Auto Race.

Ormond, Fla., Jan. 24.—Daytona is in gala array for the opening of the third annual speed tournament of the Florida East Coast Auto Association which began at 12:30 today. The city is overcrowded. The beach is better patrolled than ever before, but the crowd is greater and a chance for such a shocking fatality as that of Frank Croker and his chauffer is recognized by all. The first event will be one kilometre, open to vehicles between 851 and 1,432 pounds. There are two entries—F. A. Laroche's 20 horse power gasolene Barrocque and 15 horse power steam of Webb Jay.

Mrs. Duke Arrested.

New York, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Alice Webb Duke, whose marriage to Brodie L. Duke, the millionaire tobacconist, caused such a sensation a few weeks ago, was arrested this morning on a fugitive warrant sworn out on instructions from Police Inspector McCluskey. As soon as Mrs. Duke and the law officers reached the district attorney's office Mrs. Duke telephoned to the offices of Levy and Unger, and Lawyer George Simpson, of that office, finally arrived. It is said that Mrs. Duke will be held pending the arrival of extradition papers from Texas.

Rioting in Paris.

Paris, Jan. 24.—A meeting of Russian students in the Latin quarter today ended in a riot. Several arrests were made. At the meeting which was attended by 300 students, and which was held in a restaurant, a resolution was passed expressing sympathy with the St. Petersburg revolutionists.

No Election.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 24.—Three more republican Senators deserted Niedringhaus, the caucus nominee for United States Senator today, and cast their ballots for R. C. Kerens. The sixth joint ballot resulted: Neidringhaus, 78, Cockrell, 81, Kerens, 12, J. E. Goodrich, 1.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Jan. 24.—The stock market responded to the more cheerful reports regarding the foreign financial situation by advances in the early trading, extending to a point or thereabouts in a number of issues as compared with yesterday's closing figures. By the end of the first half hour's trading renewed pressure was brought by the professional traders, causing temporary recessions ranging up to 1¼ per cent.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Attorney General Parker concluded his closing argument in Boston, today, for the prosecution in the trial of Charles T. Tucker, charged with the murder of Mabel Page today. Judge Sheldon then delivered his charge to the jury. After which court took a recess.

An unknown man wrenched the brass name plate off the Russian Embassy door in London yesterday evening. He escaped despite the fact that a special police corps is guarding the building. The authorities are greatly perturbed by the ease with which the outrage was perpetrated.

The census of the town of Manassas, taken under a recent order of the Common Council, shows a total population of 1,109 inhabitants, of which 228 are embraced in the territory recently annexed by the action of the Circuit Court of Prince William county, which extended the corporate limits of the town. The census of 1900 showed a population of 878.

At the home of Thomas A. Edison, at Orange, N. J., this morning, it was stated that the condition of the inventor, who was operated upon last night for the removal of an abscess behind the left ear, was satisfactory. The operation, it was stated, was successful. Mr. Edison has been deaf for some time as a result of the abscess which failed to yield to treatment, and the operation was decided upon.

Urged to renewed efforts by the tragedy at St, Petersburg, forty members of the Russian social revolutionary party in Chicago met at their headquarters Monday night and with Catherine Breskofsky, the aged delegate of the party, planned a campaign for the next fortnight which they hope will culminate in the citizens of Chicago petitioning the Czar to grant the people what they ask and end the revolution.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Proceedings of the Court of Appeals yesterday were:

Glenn vs. West, &c., argued and submitted.

Williamson, &c., vs. Payne and others. Argued and submitted.

The next cases to be called are:

Chilton vs. Hanna and others; Lynchburg Telephone Company vs. Booker, and Bishop vs. Bagley and others, being Nos. 37, 38 and 40 on argument docket.

Wife Asks Divorce.

May A. McLearen in Washington yesterday began proceedings for divorce against Frank C. McLearen, on statutory grounds, and because of his desertion of her and her children. A co-respondent is named in the proceedings. Mrs. McLearen says she married the defendant named, in February, 1891. Malcolm Hufty is named as counsel for the complainant.

No Pity Shown.

"For years fate was after me continuously," writes F. A. Gulledge, Verbena, Ala. I had a terrible case of Piles causing 24 tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for Burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

Do Not Suppress a Cough.

When you have a cough do not try to suppress it, but remove the cause. The cough is only a sympton of some disease, and the disease is what you should cure, then the cough will stop of itself. The most common cause of coughing is a cold. Anodynes will promptly suppress the cough, and preparations containing chloroform, opium, etc., are used for that purpose, but they do not cure the cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on the other hand does not suppress the cough, but relieves it by removing from the throat and lungs the mucus which obstructed the breathing and allaying the irritation and tickling in the throat. It also opens the secretions and effectually and permanently cures the cold as well as the cough. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

MR. WILLARD'S CANDIDACY.

Mr. Joseph E. Willard has formally announced himself a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination. He begins his address to his fellow-citizens in Virginia as follows:

"My determination to become a candidate for governor of Virginia has been reached after careful consideration, and with the belief that ten years of continuous service in the General Assembly have given me an adequate opportunity for learning accurately the conditions and needs of our people. If elected to this high office, I shall devote my earnest efforts to the material, intellectual, and moral advancement of our people, while administering the laws of the Commonwealth without fear or favor."

His platform, while conservative, aims at progression. He favors improved public schools, which give equal opportunity to all in the race of life. He is an earnest advocate of good roads, and argues logically that such are of inestimable utility in expanding the agricultural interests of a State. Mr. Willard calls attention to the varied resources of Virginia and her brain and brawn, and pledges himself to use every means, if elected Governor, to attract foreign capital to the Old Dominion, and makes the sensible observation that a fair and liberal system of laws will aid materially in bringing about such a desideratum. Mr. Willard advocates the enlargement of the State Agricultural Department and the encouragement of immigration, favors the creation of a board of charities and correction and upholds the Corporation Commission. He concludes as follows:

"If elected, I shall assume the duties and responsibilities of this high office unpledged and untrammelled. I shall bring to the faithful discharge of these duties and responsibilities my every energy and ability. It shall be my sole ambition, in the administration of the State's affairs, to promote the best interests of the Commonwealth and to win the respect and esteem of those whom I serve."

Williams Will Not Resign.

John Sharp Williams's resignation of the minority leadership in the House of Representatives, which rumor said he threatened to submit, did not develop at the democratic caucus held last night. Mr. Williams announced that he had called the democrats of the House together to consider their action on the question of the railroad rate legislation. Nothing was said by Mr. Williams or anyone else about his rumored displeasure with the members of the minority in not following his lead in his fight against the Hull amendment to the army bill putting down the pay or refusing full pay to retired officers above the rank of major detailed to militia duty. This was supposed to be aimed at General Miles.

It had been reported during the day that Mr. Williams had been appeased by various members of the minority, who assured him that no disrespect had been meant and that it was the sincere desire of all the democrats of the House that he retain the leadership. When Mr. Williams appeared at the House yesterday he found his desk decked with a profusion of handsome flowers. He was apparently pleased with the attention accorded him.

Mr. Williams said last night that it appeared now quite probable that the republicans were going to report and pass a bill. He said that the democrats should get together on the question and suggested that they concentrate on the bill introduced by Representative Davies, of Alabama, which gives the Interstate Commerce Commission power to make rates which shall stand, unless changed by an appeal to the courts. No special court is provided. Representative Cochran, of Missouri, objected to the measure and suggested the Hearst bill. No conclusion was reached and the caucus adjourned.

To Answer Charge In Virginia.

John Adams, alias "District of Columbia Jack," another of the alleged yeggmen arrested by the Baltimore police a few weeks ago, was before United States Commissioner Rogers in that city yesterday. He has been indicted on the charge of breaking into the postoffice at Manassas, on November 1, 1903, and was committed for the action of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia. He will be taken to Richmond.

Confederate Muster Roll.

It required papers drawn by Attorney General Anderson and an order from Judge R. Carter Scott yesterday to enable Maj. Robert W. Hunter, Virginia secretary of military records, to secure from John F. Wrenn, a buyer of old manuscrips, in Richmond, the muster rolls of a number of the companies from Virginia that participated in the civil war. Mr. Wrenn bought the rolls in good faith from some person unknown and refused to give them up until compelled to do so by law. The Attorney-General held that the rolls belonged to the State and could not be disposed of without the consent of the Legislature.

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Policemen.

On January 30, 1902, the Supreme Court of Virginia, in the case of Smith vs Bryan, Mayor, (Virginia Report No. 100 page 99.), held that a police officer is an officer of the State and not of the municipality in which he exercises his office.

CITIZEN.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

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Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, JAN. 24, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:11 and sets 5:13. High water at 10:44 a. m. and 11:06 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section snow tonight. Wednesday fair, colder; southerly winds, shifting to northwesterly and increasing in force Wednesday.

The Transportation Facilities.

The conference held yesterday evening in the rooms of the Business Men's League between officials of the Washington Southern Railway, officers of the city government and a number of citizens in reference to present transportation facilities between this city and Washington resulted in no positive assurances that any immediate relief would follow.

Maj. R. T. Myers and Mr. W. T. Duke, president and general manager, respectively, of the Washington-Southern Railway Company, were present. Mayor Paff presided and he outlined the object of the committee of officials and citizens in extending an invitation to Maj. Myers and Mr. Duke to visit this city and a general interchange of opinion followed.

Mr. E S. Leadbeater gave a succinct description of present transportation facilities between this city and Washington, and called attention to the fact that since the ferryboat had been tied up and the running of local steam trains had ceased the community was compelled to resort to the electric railway in going to and coming from Washington. He described the over crowding of the cars, the danger incident thereto and the many delays in the running of the trains, and urged that such conditions were a serious menace to the commercal welfare of Alexandria. The speaker said that while he was not actuated by a spirit of hostility to the electric road, he did appeal to Major Myers to put on local trains and thus relieve present conditions.

Mr. A. G. Uhler spoke on the same lines, as did also Messrs. M. B. Harlow and J. T. Sweeney, the latter saying the electric road was not only unreliable but dangerous. He believed the steam trains could be run permanently and profitably.

Mr. Harlow called attention to the fact that a sub-station was to be established in Washington either at 9th street and Maryland avenue, or at 7th street, and that Alexandria patrons could now be landed from steam trains at either point.

Capt. Herbert Bryant spoke of the disadvantages under which Alexandria was laboring by reason of the unsatisfactory traveling facilities between this place and Washington, and observed that it was unfortunate for Alexandria that the steam trains were discontinued.

Remarks were subsequently made by Messrs. Thomas Spinks and O. P. Angelo in regard to present unsatisfactory and uncertain conditions.

Mayor Paff informed Maj. Myers that those present had not assembled as complainants against the electric road, but that in view of existing conditions it was impossible to discuss the business of the meeting without making comparisons.

Maj. Myers finally rose and said that he realized that no efforts had been made to exaggerate the condition of affairs, and that the Washington-Southern ought to accomodate the people of Alexandria with an increase of local service if it were possible to do so, but there were many things to be considered. He said that, charging 25 cents per round trip, his road would only received 5 cents per passenger, or one-third what the electric road charges for a single trip. He stated that while he would make no positive announcement until after he had investigated the matter in all of its phases, it could be readily seen that it would be a losing proposition to put on extra trains when their receipts would be only 5 cents per passenger, and that entering the station in Washington would be absolutely out of the question on account of the terrible congestion of trains that will continue until the new union station in Washington is completed.

It was suggested to Maj. Myers that those who desired to patronize the steam trains would be satisfied if the trains ran no farther than Seventh street and Maryland avenue.

At the request of Maj. Myers, Mr. Duke described the burden already imposed upon their tracks between this city and Washington.

Maj. Myers announced that he would impart all proper information to the State corporation commission when it meets in this city February 2, but called attention to the fact that the authority of the commission ceases at the south end of the Long Bridge. He said, however, that the Washington-Southern was making extensive improvements near Alexandria, and that when these are completed the placing of local trains in service would be a simple proposition. Before closing Maj. Myers said that he would make no promises, but would do the best he could. He further stated that he wanted to take the opportunity to correct an impression that there is some subsidiary relation between the electric railway and the Washington-Southern. He stated emphatically that no such relation exists.

The Electric Railways.

Mr. Davis, of Midnesota, introduced a bill in the House yesterday authorizing the Capital Traction Company to construct the crosstown road, for which a franchise is now being sought by the Great Falls and Old Dominion Company. Mr. Davis says he believes the Capital Traction Company could build the crosstown road more speedily, more efficiently and more economically than a new road without power house or other facilities. The road provided for in Mr. Davis's bill has a route identical with that outlined for the Great Falls and Old Dominion franchise.

The State railway commission has decided to appoint appraisers to determine the value of the right of way through land owned by the Great Falls Company at the Great Falls. This was the result of an application made by the Old Dominion Electric Railway Company. The line that is being built by the latter company from the Aqueduct bridge to Great Falls is planned to go through the property of the Great Falls Company for about one mile and a half. In order to secure the needed right of way proceedings were begun before the Virginia railway commission.

In connection with the proceedings at law instituted the 16th instant by the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company against the District of Columbia and the United States to have judgment entered against the District and the United States, jointly, in the sum of $41,261, United States Attorney Beach has filed answer. The suit is based on expenses the company claims to have incurred by reason of the requirement that its route in Washington be changed. Mr. Beach in his answer sets forth that the petition is prematurely filed for the reason that the whole amount of the cost and expense of removal of the tracks has not yet been incurred by the railway company; and that as to the expenditures for which judgment is asked against the United States by far the greater portion has not been paid by the railway company—the sum of $30,061 due the Pennsylvania Steel Company.

A Mixed Case.

S. R. Taylor, colored, was before Justice Caton this morning charged with having secured money on a fraudulently executed deed. Taylor, it appears, claims to be the grandson of one and the grand nephew of four old colored women, Narcissa and Ann Burwell and Susan Cole and Patience Johnson, the two first named now dead, who lived on south Alfred street. Recently he called at the law office of Messrs. Norton and Boothe with a will purporting to show that the property belonged to the old women named. He sought to make a loan of $200 to pay some bills for lumber, hardware, &c., and to buy a stock of groceries with which to open a store. He also brought a deed acknowledged before a notary in Washington, with notarial seal, &c., from the old women, all of which appearing to be regular, a loan in one of the building associations was secured for him for $200. Out of the money Messrs. Norton and Boothe paid the taxes, material bills, &c., against the property and gave the remaining $75 to Taylor, who purchased a stock of groceries and opened a store in the house where he and the old colored women lived. Recently one of the old women died and the matter of obtaining money to pay the funeral expenses came up. One of the women called on Messrs. Norton and Boothe when, after some conversation, she stated that Taylor was not a relative of her's or her sister's; that he was a comparative stranger; that he had been living with them but a short time, and that none of them had signed the papers on which Taylor had secured the money. On this statement Taylor was arrested and brought before Justice Caton this morning, when the case was continued till witnesses in the case could be summoned. Taylor, who had made no effort to leave the city, was held. He claims that he is innocent of any wrong doing and that if there is anything wrong, it was done with the full approbation of some of the heirs of Susan Cole, the real owner of the property.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

John Bryant, Edward Carter and Charles Harris, all colored, arrested by Officers Ferguson, Allen and Lyles charged with contempt of court in refusing to respond to summons to appear as witnesses, were fined $2 each.

Albert Johnson, colored, arrested by Officer Lyles charged with stealing a pair of shoes, was dismissed.

Henry Washington, colored, arrested by Officers Knight and Mayhugh charged with being drunk in the street, was dismissed.

A white man, arrested by Officer Roberts charged with drunken and disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Samuel R. Taylor, arrested by Lieutenant Smith charged with obtaining $200 from the Mercantile Railway Building Association under false pretenses, had his case continued.

A warrant was issued today for the arrest of James Taylor, colored, charged with stealing several articles from the E. J. Miller store.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

Thos. M. Hewett vs. E. Lee Rose; decree confirming sale to C. C. Carlin and appointing G. L. Boothe commissioner to convey property.

Alice T. King vs. Oliver O. King; decree requiring defendant to pay plaintiff $25 a month alimony during the pending of this suit.

J. A. Bokel Co., of Baltimore, vs. G O. Keeney; judgement for plaintiff for $160.72.

Com. vs. W. O. Pollard, indicted for grand larceny in robbing railroad cars; case continued till February 9, on account of the absence of a material witness.

The rule issued against Chas. S. Beach for resisting an officer was dismissed.

Death of a Little Girl.

Geneva, the eleven-year-old daughter of Mr. Davis and Mrs. Maggie Fewell, died at her parents' home, on south Payne street, at 12:30 o'clock last night. She had been a sufferer from a complication of diseases and her death had long since been seen to be inevitable. The firm faith of children in the face of death is often noticeable, and the scenes in connection with the death of this little girl were peculiarly touching, those who performed the last vigils being moved at the confidence of the sufferer as she passed into the unseen world. The vista of another realm seemed to open before the child, and her last words were expressions anticipative of a land where there is no more death, crying or sorrow.

Undesirable Colony.

It has been learned that a proposition is on foot to erect buildings for the colored paupers and criminal colored youths of the District of Columbia, on land just opposite this city. The matter is before the Senate committee of the District and, it is said, has been referred to a subcommittee consisting of Senator Martin for a report. Mr. M. B. Harlow and a number of Alexandrians will appear before Senator Martin tomorrow to oppose the erection of the buildings on the site proposed. Certainly the location of any number of paupers and criminals so near the city would be most undesirable and the committee will urge Senator Martin to have the colony located at some other point in the District.

Buggy Stolen.

Mr. Charles Frinks, living in Fairfax county, near this city, reported to the police this morning that thieves last night entered his stable and carried off a black-top buggy. The officers are endeavoring to recover the stolen property and capture the thieves.

The Autumn Leaf Pleasure Club will meet at the home of Mr. Freeman Mansfield at 8 o'clock tonight.

Personal.

A dispatch from Richmond says: As the situation looks at the present time Col. James R. Caton, of Alexandria, seems to have the best showing for Lieutenant Governor. His personality has strongly impressed those who have met him, and he made a reputation in the House of Delegates as a conservative, thoughtful, cultivated man.

Surgeon General Rixey, U. S. Navy, was in the city yesterday and with Dr. T. M. Jones visited Mr. Henry Baader, who on Saturday suffered a slight stroke of paralysis. Dr. Rixey agrees with Dr. Jones that Mr. Baader is in a fair way to a speedy and entire recovery.

Mr. P. V. D. Conway, of Fredericksburg, was in the city today.

Mr. Thomas Gay, of Monroe, is visiting friends in this city.

Rev. J. A. Wray, pastor of the Baptist Church in this city, has returned from Nashville, Tenn., where he went on a visit to his mother, who has recently been critically ill.

Miss Richards will not lecture before the Cameron Club on the 27th, as planned, but will do so on February 3d next.

The Old Dominion Railroad.

Senator Martin is leading the fight in the Senate for the granting of a charter to the Old Dominion railway to enter the District of Columbia, and believes that there is no doubt about the passage of the bill. He is enthusiastic as to what it will accomplish for this section of Virginia. He says that the best suburban territory that Washington has is on the Virginia side of the Potomac, and that the entrance of the railroad into Washington will result in a heavy immigration into Virginia from Washington, and that taxable values will go up millions of dollars on this side of the river.

Retail Merchants.

The Retail Merchants' Protective Association held an interesting meeting last night. Under the good of the order a number of members spoke of the satisfactory work of the association, and called attention to the fact that the principles upon which the organization had been founded were bearing fruit, as people who had become indebted to one grocer were debarred from opening accounts with others. In some instances the delinquents found it impossible to procure credit and were compelled to settle their long-standing accounts, in order to open new ones.

Charity Ball.

The Annual Southern Relief charity ball will be held at the New Willard in Washington tonight. Among the patronesses are Mrs. W. H. F. Lee, Mrs. Montague, Mrs. Holmes Conrad Mrs. R. W. Hunter and Mrs. L. L. Lomax, of Virginia. Among the young ladies' reception committee will be Misses Conrad, Rixey, Beckham, Mason and Lee, of Virginia. On the floor committee will be Messrs. R. E. Lee, jr., Rozier Dulany, G. L. Boothe, Dr. T. B. Cochran, Taylor Burke, Powell Brookes, Lieut. Elliott, Dr. Thos. Rust and Mr. Arthur Bryant, of Virginia.

Ordination.

Rev. Emmett E. Miller, deacon, will be ordained to the priesthood by Bishop R. A. Gibson tomorrow, at 10:30 a. m. The service will be held in Meade Chapel, colored, corner of Princess and Columbus streets. The candidate will be presented by Rev Wm. Meade Clarke, rector of St. James Church, Richmond, and the ordination sermon will be preached by Archdeacon John Moncure. All are cordially invited to attend.

Arrested.

Oscar Jackson alias Henry Jackson, colored, was arrested yesterday above Lewinsville, Fairfax county, by U. S. Deputy Marshal J. F. Glover, for violating the postal law at the postoffice at Orange about a year ago. The warrant was issued by R. P. W. Garnett, U. S. Commissioner. Jackson was sent to jail in this city for further hearing.

The Gazette.

Our friend, the Alexandria Gazette, has passed another milestone in its career and continues indispensable to us.—[Strasburg News.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The weather today has been cloudy and raw, with indications of snow.

The Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company is rebuilding a portion of its wharf at this port.

Thieves last night invaded the market court and carried off fifty-one fresh herring belonging to Price & Co., and thirty-five belonging to Mr. Robert Travers.

A tub of clothes which had been taken from clothes lines yesterday evening were stolen from the kitchen of the residence on the southeast corner of Prince and Payne streets last night.

Mrs. Nannie C. Keeney has entered suit against B. F. Striekler for $2,000 damages, the matter growing out of the recent sergeant's sale of furniture at the Alexandria House. Mrs. Keeney claims that some of the furniture sold belonged to her.

At St. Mary's Church, Sunday morning, Rev. H. J. Cutler read the annual report of the church. The report showed the church to be in a good condition both financially and numerically.

At a special meeting of the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum last night it was decided to give an excursion to Marshall Hall July 11 next, and a committee to make arrangements was appointed.

A big brush fire on the farm of Raymond Smith, near Accotink, last night, caused the report that a dwelling in the neighborhood had been burned.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colonial Loan and Deposit Association was held in this city today.

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Fruit of the Loom Bleached Cotton, 7 1-2c.
Androscoggin Bleached Cotton, 7c.
Pride of the West Bleached Cotton, 12 1-2c
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100 Ladies' Knit Skirts, 79c.
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Genuine Imported French Batiste, double warp; they shirr and drape very nicely; fifty shades, including cream, navy, green, onion, gray, &c. 75c value for one day at, per yard 55c

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SATURDAY,

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DOUGLASS STUART,
Commissioners.

I, John S. Beach, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., do hereby certify that Douglass Stuart, one of the commissioners in the above mentioned suit, has entered into bond before me in the sum of $1,000, with approved security, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties under the above decree.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
jan19 ts

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from John Washington and wife to A. W. Armstrong, trustee, dated the 1st day of October, 1895, and recorded in liber N, No. 5, page 20, one of the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, and by direction of the party secured thereby, default having been made in paying the debt thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, on

SATUEDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1905,

the following real estate:

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, designated as lot No. 6, in the plat and survey made by W. Gillingham, and recorded in liber S, No. 5, page 211, land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, and on said plat described as follows:

Lot No 6—Beginning at "R" in the centre of the old Mount Vernon road corner to lot No. 5, N. 27½°; E. 8.85 chains to "S," a stake in the Henderson line, corner to John Ford, S. 25; E. 6.14 chains to "T;" S 23° 50'; W. 12.25 chains to "Q," in the center of the aforesaid road, N.11½° W 9 chains to the begining, containing 5.33 acres.

Terms—Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

JESSIE R. ARMSTRONG,
Ex'trx of A. W. Armstrong, deceased.
K. Kemper, Attorney. jan20 td

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 23rd day of December, 1904.

E. C. Figgins vs. C. M. Campbell an Pauline Campbell, his wife. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for specific performance of a contract for the sale of certain lots on the corner of Patrick and Mongtomery streets, in the city of Alexandria, to the complainant, E. C. Figgins, the said lots belonging to C. M. Campbell, and being described in the bill of complaint; and also to attach the interest of the defendents in the said lots to await the further and final action of this court in this cause.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, C. M. Campbell and Pauline Campbell, are non-residents of this State: It is ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four succesive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy—Teste: JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.

By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Howard W. Smith, p. q. dec27 w4w

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Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, JAN. 24, 1905.

He Found Out.

Suspecting that the affections of his wife were being alienated by Asa C. Bailey, Samuel Flinders, of Cherokee, Ia., called him to his house for an explanation. To the chagrin of the husband Bailey upon entering took Mrs. Flinders into his arms and kissed her. Then he said to Flinders: "Yes, I love your wife, and I'll have her. You're not worthy of such a woman. Whereupon Flinders, turning to his wife, asked her to express a preference. "If you must know," she replied, "I think I like Mr. Bailey the better."

This is the story told by Flinders, who is suing Bailey for $25,000 damages. The defense will be heard today.

Bailey is a wealthy neighbor and lifelong friend, who has been permitted to take Mrs. Flinders to Sioux City and other places, Flinders trusting him implicitly.

The Catholics Excited.

Reports received at the Vatican from Russia say that, notwithstanding the efforts of their bishops the Catholics are excited, and it is impossible to keep them from participating in popular movements, especially in Poland, where even part of the lower clergy have joined the people. The Pope was much distressed at the news contained in the last dispatches communicated to him by Papal Secretary Merry del Val, and expressed the hope that the internal situation in Russia was not so black as depicted.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other medicines failed, three $1 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottle free at E. S. Leadbeater & Son's drug store.

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MEETINGS.

NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE LAS OVAS CO. (INC.)—The annual meeting of the above company not having been held on the third Tuesday in October, as prescribed in the by-laws, will be held at the office of the company in Alexandria at ten a. m., on THURSDAY, January 26, 1905.

HILARY A. HERBERT, President.
jan11 td

NOTICE.—Under the first by-law the annual meeting of the stockholders of the EUREKA MANGANESE COMPANY will be held at No. 504 Duke street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, the 26th day of January, 1905, at 12 o'clock m.

L. W. REID, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA INSURANCE COMPANY will be held at the company's office, second floor of Burke & Herbert's banking house, corner of King and Fairfax streets, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, February 6, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m.

LAURENCE STABLER, Secretary.
jan21 td

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Office of Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., Dec. 17, 1904.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that

"The First National Bank of Alexandria,"

located in the city of Alexandria, in the State of Virginia, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the act approved April 12, 1902.

Now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALEXANDRIA," located in the city of Alexandria, in the State of Virginia, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association; namely, until close of business on December 17, 1924.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this seventeenth day of December, 1904.

{SEAL.} Wm. B. Ridgely,
Comptroller of the Currency.

Charter No. 651. Extension No. 378.

The First National Bank,

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We are now entering on the third charter of this bank, and wish to express to our many friends the great pleasure we have had in the many business transactions during the past forty years, and we hope the same good feeling and confidence that we have enjoyed in the past may be extended to us in the future. We can assure our many patrons and citizens that every effort will be made to help them in all their business transactions and extend to them all the courtesy that a bank has in its power.

CHARLES R. HOOFF,
dec20 30t President.

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CAPITAL	$100,000
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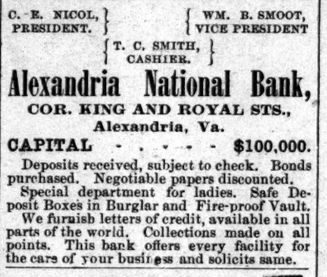

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Bloch, H
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Cummings, Miss M L
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Chauncey, Julian
City Treasurer
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Cranford, Miss A
Corporation Court
Creighton, W F & Co
Creighton, W F & Son
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Curtin & Butts
Caton, Harry B, residence
Cogan, John A, plumber,
Dabney, Jas H
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Hill, J M
Hill, J M & Co
Hill, Frank M
Hill, Zora
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Hopkins, Dr. J Milton
Hooff, ChasR
Howard, Clifton T
Hill, Geo R
Huff, A J, residence
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Janney, Miss E M
Jones, Dr T M
Johnson, W A & Co
Johnson, Dr Albert
Kemper, Miss Sarah
Kelly, H V
Kicherer, Chas
Kirk, H
King, Charles & Son
King, James E, residence
King, Charles, residence
Kemper, E H
Knight, R E, stationery
Knight, R E, residence
Knox, t, R E
Knox R F, residence
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Kramer, Mrs Frederick
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Lambert, U S, residence
Lansburg, Mrs Alice
Lawler, E E & Co
Leadbeater, E S & Sons
Lash, J Lee
Lawler, Martin
Lee, Mrs M L
Lennon, C G
Lennon, C M
Lindsay, N & Co
Loose, J L
Lannon, Thos
Marshall & Bro, John A
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McKenny, W H
McCuen, Jas, bottling works
McLearen, Frank
Morton, Rev W J, residence
Manager's Office
Marsnan, U S, residence
Marine Railway Shipb'ld'g & Coal
Marshall, John A, residence
Market House
McGuire, Dr Hugh
Miller, E J & Co
Mer. Bld'g. & L Ass'n) L Hooff, Agt.)
Moore, W S
Moore, C A
Markell, Geo E
Masseni, Chas
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May & Son, W H
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Norton, J K M
Nugent, O J
O'Brien, Dr M W
Odell, Aaron, market
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Pollard, F J
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Ponnet, C, florist, West End
Perry, Thomas
Petty, Geo W, residence
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Portner, Robt, secretary's office
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Price, Geo E & Co, Market
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Pullman, C O
Purvis, Dr W R
Parson, E H (St Asaph)
Quinn, Edward
Reeves, Mrs
Ramsay, G Wm
Ramey, G H
Reiter, Curtiss & Mills, contractors
Rice, J Harry, residence
Risheill, M L, saw mill
Rittenour, Dr A A
Reardon, Wm M
Robertson, H F
Roberts, Walter
Robinson, G H & Sons
Rogers, Joseph F
Ruben & Sons M
Rammel, A & Sons
Reardon, W m, residence
Rucker, Geo H (St Elmo)
Robinson, Thos W
Schlichting, Henry, residence
Schuler, M
Schwarzman, Geo D, residence
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Smoot, W A & Co, office King street
St. Mary's Academy
Smith, C H "Hampton"
Smoot, J R & Co
Smith, Dr W M, office
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Smoot, Mrs Susan, residence
Smoot, J C, residence
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Southern Railway Co, W & O
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Stuart, Douglass, office
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Smoot, W B, residence
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Smith, F L
Strauss, H, residence
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Snowden, Dr Arthur
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Smoot, W A & Co, King St, office
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W, A & Mt V Ry Co, Payne street
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Wattles, R H
Wattles, C W
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Weil Bros
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White, Wythe
Wheatley, B
Wildt, H
Wilkins, Captain Jno T
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Wolford, Lorenzo, residence
Wise, Mrs Peter
Woolls, W P
Yates, C B
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4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:12 P. M.—Daily except Sunday—Palm Limited, one composite car (combined baggage, smoking and barber shop), one Pullman compartment car, two Pullman drawing room and sleeping cars, one Pullman compartment observation car, one Pullman observation sleeping car between New York and St. Augustine, Fla., one Pullman drawing room and state room sleeping car between New York, Aiken, S C, and Augusta,